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TITLE: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
THE INVESTIGATION OF A FUEL CELL  
SYSTEM

Examiner: Karie Amber O'Neill

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of March 2, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**There are no amendments to the Specification in this paper.**

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**There are no amendments to the Drawings in this paper**

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 14 of this paper.